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In re Application of Michele Lapelosa, et al.

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INTEGRATED ELECTROLYTIC ACTING TORCH FOR THE SURFACE

WORKING OF METALS

Honorable Commissioner of Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated September 20, 2010 including the Restriction Requirement, and prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows: